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Season Report for the Week ending Saturday the 30th April 1898.

Districts.	Rainfall at—	Rainfall: Present week.		Average for corresponding week of the past three years.		Total from the beginning of the present calendar year.		Average for the past three years up to end of present week.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee; and market fluctuations in the prices of food grains.	Market how supplied.	Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects, or other natural calamities.	Prospects of season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient; areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.	Public health.	Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, &c.
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	This week. Past week. Seers. Seers.					
...lore ...	Bangalore C. & M. Stn. ...	...	55	...	1	...	91	1	14						
	„ City & Tk....	...	36	...	20	...	62	1	70	Rice 6¾ 6¾.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition. Sugar-cane was sown in a few places. Vaisakhi paddy and sugar-cane were harvested in some taluks.	Fair.	Good.	Cattle healthy. Water fodder generally pro able.
	Hoskote ...	1	40	...	18	2	53	1	42	Ragi 17 17. (*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Dodballapur ...	..	80	...	22	2	44	1	40	Horse-gram 12 11. (*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Nelamangala ...	...	5	...	17	1	22	1	29						
	Kankanhalli ...	1	49	...	12	1	49	1	36						
	Magadi ...	1	19	[illegible]	[illegible]	1	87	2	65						
	Channapatna ...	1	64	...	26	3	88	2	70						
	Anekal ...	1	14	...	22	2	4	1	45						
	Devanhalli ...	1	21	...	38	2	36	1	78						
	Closepet ...	...	52	...	34	1	28	1	87						
...	Kolar ...	1	15	...	8	2	84	...	95	Rice 7 to 9 7 to 9.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition. Sugar-cane, harka and jola were sown in parts. Paddy, sugar-cane and Bengal gram were harvested in some places.	Generally good.	Generally good.	Water and fodder avail
	Bowringpet ...	1	43	...	...	4	46	...	53	Ragi 18 to 22 18 to 22. (*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Chintamani ...	...	17	...	...	...	79	..	61	Horse-gram 11 to 13 10 to 13. (*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Mulbagal ...	2	77	...	78	3	23	...	92						
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	36	...	16	...	76	1	36						
	Chikballapur ...	...	52	...	19	1	24	...	82						
	Bagepalli ...	...	21	...	...	...	26	1	8						
	Goribidnur ...	...	99	...	12	1	36	...	60						
	Malur ...	2	70	...	...	4	41	1	8						
	Srinivaspur ...	...	8	...	40	2	8	1	46						
	Gudibanda ...	...	43	...	6	...	63	1	75						
...ur ...	Tumkur ...	2	..	...	37	3	13	1	54	Rice 6½ to 10 6½ to 10.	Well.	Standing crops are in good condition. Paddy was harvested in some places.	Good.	Good.	Cattle healthy. Water fodder available.
	Maddagiri ...	...	22	...	7	...	42	...	96	Ragi 18 to 28 18 to 28. (*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Chiknayakanhalli.	...	...	...	32	...	65	2	89	Horse-					
	Sira ...	..	54	...	12	1	33	2	89						
	[illegible]		[illegible]		23	1	10		90						